

Foster Creek Conservation District

VIM WRIGHT LEGACY FUND

The entire conservation community recently lost a valuable partner in the quest for a better environment for everyone. Born June 4, 1926, in Istanbul, Turkey, V. "Vim" Wright was adopted by an American military family and raised in Baltimore, Maryland, eventually residing in Seattle, Washington. In recent years, Vim pioneered the Farming and Environment Project, to help farmers and environmentalists in an effort to save the properties of cash-strapped farmers. She also became the first non-farmer appointed to the Washington Conservation Commission (WCC), the body that serves farm communities in the state. Vim worked tirelessly to create a forum for agriculturalists, environmentalists, and agency representatives to meet for the progressive enhancement of the Douglas County Shrub Steppe Communities. The "Vim Wright Legacy Fund" will be used to continue these efforts to create an arena where groups can educate, inform, and exchange ideas with one-another in an open, informal, and non-regulatory format.



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